FISCAL NOTE/CAPTION BILL

SB 112 - HB 554

February 27, 2003

CAPTION BILL: Fiscal note reflects amendment filed to lift bill from Senate Clerk's desk (003807).

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires the Department of Health to create a demonstration project in one nursing home to confirm the value of disabled volunteers in long-term care facilities. The department is to develop the pilot project in conjunction with the Tennessee Health Care Association, the Tennessee Disability Coalition and the Tennessee Commission on Aging and Disability. The participating facility is to be reimbursed for costs up to \$10,000 funded from the Nursing Home Resident Protection Trust Fund.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Expenditures - \$10,000/Nursing Resident Protection Trust Fund

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

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